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Title: IMPROVED POLYMER MODIFIED BITUMINOUS BINDER  
WITH LOW EMISSIONS

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated July 29, 2008, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

**Amendments** to the claims, if any, are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this document.